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<u>AMENDMENT</u>

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of September 20, 2005, please amend the aboveidentified patent application as follows: